### **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Thomas J. Kodadek

Serial No.: 09/780,575

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For: SELECTIONS OF PEPTIDES WITH ANTIBODY-LIKE PROPERTIES

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- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of Thomas J. Kodadek;
- (b) A Power of Attorney on behalf of Board of Regents, The University of Texas System;
- (c) A Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status executed on behalf of Board of Regents, The University of Texas System;

(d) Our check in the amount of \$631.00 to cover the basic filing fee

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$211.
  - \$171 for 19 total claims over 20.
  - \$40 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 631.

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